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DAILY WEATHER REPORT
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CARRY OUT CAREFULLY-LAID PATTERN OF AERIAL ATTACK TO BREAK UP THE ESSENTIAL DEFENSES OF THE GERMANS

Devastating Night Assault Made Against Industrial City of Osnabrueck — Unceasing Sorties Blast Nazi Communications Centers — Believe Germans See In Such Raids Groundwork for 2nd Front Offensive of Allies

By International News Service

LONDON, Aug. 19—A carefully-laid pattern of aerial attack to break up essential German defenses against a second front emerged today as the Royal Air Force raided the Nazi-occupied coast, a devastating night assault against the industrial city of Osnabrueck.

The all American raid by flying fortresses against the Seine River city of Rouen and unceasing sorties which blasted Nazi communications centers on the Reich and occupied centers were believed to be having a major effect.

It now is becoming apparent, well-informed quarters said, that the Germans see in these raids the groundwork of a second front offensive by the Allies and signs of "jitters" among German militarists are noticeable.

The attack on Osnabrueck was an obvious and undoubtedly successful attempt to cripple German communications. This city lies on a direct line from Berlin and the great northern industrial areas of Germany to occupied Holland. Troop reinforcements and supplies rushed to the low countries in event of an Allied invasion must pass through Osnabrueck unless valuable time is to be lost.

Day and night raids now being carried out by the R. A. F. and the United States Army Air Corps in Europe are now designed not only to slow down enemy armament production but to disrupt strategic centers of communication which the Germans would have to utilize for rapid movement of troops.

War Bond Sales Show Is Planned at S. Langhorne

SOUTH LANGHORNE, Aug. 18—A U. S. War Bond sale show, scheduled for November, is the newest activity planned by members of the Associated Business Men of South Langhorne.

Ernst Helzmann has assumed leadership of the show committee, and the theme and purpose of the presentation will be sale of war bonds and stamps.

The show will be in the form of a revenue with several skits, musical numbers and comedy acts with some members of the audience participating in some of the acts.

John Vogt, Thomas Henning, Frank Sodano and Joseph Keating are assisting Mr. Helzmann in the plans.

AID RATIONING BOARD

The Local Rationing Board has been aided in its task during recent weeks by the following individuals:

Mrs. Morris P. Dayhoff, Mrs. Joseph McLean, Miss Lilly Waldron, Mrs. William F. Sorenson, Marie Claire Sorenson, Mrs. Walter Parish, Mrs. Henry Van Langen, Mrs. Leo Lynn, Mrs. Robert Loper, Mrs. Joseph Campbell, Mrs. Edmund Groom, Cornelius Busstraan, John Conyers, Bristol Township; Mrs. Ellwood Burton, Fallsington; Mrs. James Hughes, Mrs. Daniel Smith, Mrs. Harry Hanford, Mrs. John Wear, Miss Marion Smith, Bristol.

The above group, together with the following were guests at a dinner arranged by the board members, and served in Bristol Methodist Church on Friday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Doron Green, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Von Hintz, Mrs. John Conyers, David Cohen, Mrs. Golden, Mrs. Richard Wheagley, Roy F. Fry.

Among the numbers given was a recitation by Mrs. Walter Parish, Croydon.

LOCAL WEATHER OBSERVATIONS

FOR 24 HOUR PERIOD ENDING 8 A. M.
AT ROHM & HAAS WEATHER OBSERVATORY
BRISTOL, PA.

Temperature Readings
Maximum 85 F
Minimum 68 F
Range 17 F

Hourly Temperatures	
8 a. m. yesterday	74
9	75
10	76
11	77
12 noon	77
1 p. m.	81
2	83
3	82
4	85
5	83
6	82
7	71
8	72
9	71
10	71
11	71
12 midnight	70
1 a. m. today	70
2	69
3	68
4	68
5	68
6	68
7	68
8	70

P. C. Relative Humidity 81
Precipitation (inches) .58

TIDES AT BRISTOL

High water 7.31 a. m.; 8.11 p. m.
Low water 2.28 a. m.; 2.47 p. m.

Red Cross Mobile Unit To Visit Here Thursday

Another opportunity for individuals from this area to donate blood will be afforded when the mobile unit of the Red Cross visits Bristol on Thursday.

A number of employees of Fleetwings, Inc., have signified their intentions of donating blood on that day, as have also a number of other persons.

The form provided in recent issues of The Bristol Courier, on which persons could signify they were willing to donate blood on either August 20th or a later date, was taken advantage of by a number of people.

The plasma, which is stored for later use, is for benefit of men in the armed forces of the United States, or will be used in local disasters if needed.

Industry Guards Under Army Rule

The thousands of guards employed in Eastern Pennsylvania war industries have been placed under Army control and made subject to the articles of war, it was revealed yesterday.

The men were sworn in as members of the Civilian Auxiliary Corps of the Internal Security Forces.

"This is a forward step toward more adequate protection of industries vital to the war effort," said Colonel Thomas H. Stilwell, commanding officer of the ISF for the Eastern Pennsylvania District, made up of the following counties: Philadelphia, Delaware, Montgomery, Chester, Berks, Bucks, Lehigh and Northampton.

Under the new system guards will not be permitted to quit their jobs or to transfer from one plant to another without permission of the Army.

However, Colonel Stilwell said, the Army does not intend to "freeze" men in their jobs. Those who can show a good reason for wishing to quit—such as an opportunity to get a better job—will be given honorable discharges.

Any men who quit without permission or are found guilty of dereliction of duty, will be dishonorably discharged. That will bar them from holding jobs in any war plant.

Barbara Ann Potter Has Party On 1st Anniversary

A party was held on Saturday in honor of the first birthday anniversary of Barbara Ann Potter, Dorrance street. The decorations for the occasion were pink and white.

Those attending: "Buddy," "Ronnie" and Warner Bartie; "Johnny," Charles and Elizabeth Marshall; Hilary and Samuel Cumming; Olive Cochran, "Bobby" Peltz, Jerry Cerver, Margaret McLaughlin, Terry and Paul Alta, Gloria Jean Beerbauer, Peggy Lear, Mrs. Bertha Bartie, Mrs. Paul Beerbauer, Mrs. Charles Alta, Mrs. Bruce Peltz.

Joan MacSherry Has Party on Lawn of Home

TULLYTOWN, Aug. 18—Miss Joan MacSherry was hostess to a number of friends, Saturday afternoon, at a party given on the lawn of her home. The occasion was in honor of Joan's tenth birthday anniversary.

The afternoon was spent playing games, prizes being awarded to Carl Anderson and "Jimmy" Gilardi. At the close of the afternoon, refreshments were enjoyed. Joan was the recipient of many nice gifts.

Those present: Barbara Green, Louise Doan, Carol Lineberry, Dorothy Carman, Shirley Wright, Philomena Paine, Dorothy Monti, Louise Bachofer, Margie and Joan Swangler, Muriel Burton, Irma Mazzocchi, "Ladzie," "Dickie" and "Bobby" Baker; John Paone, Carl and Howard Anderson, Reynolds Clay, James Gilardi, John Cutchinal, Eugene Termyna, Raymond Budjuich, Joan and "Billy" MacSherry.

CLAIMS MAN PUSHED HER FROM HER AUTO

Walter Bosak, 24, Phila., Arrested; States Woman Owner Loaned Him the Vehicle

HELD UNDER \$1,000 BAIL

A young married man, father of one child, is charged by police with operating an automobile without consent of the owner, a young married woman.

The man, Walter Bosak, 24, of E. Dakota street, Philadelphia, was apprehended by Pennsylvania Motor Police, at barracks at So. Langhorne, last night, when he passed there in the car owned by Mrs. Madeline L. Grofstedt, Byberry Road and Roosevelt Boulevard. He was held under \$1000 bail for court following a hearing before Justice of the Peace Daniel Krouse, of Langhorne R. D.

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To Hold Military Funeral For Sgt. Thomas Somers

Sergeant Thomas H. Somers who was instantly killed Sunday afternoon in North Cedar Hill Cemetery, Frankford, by lightning, will be buried from the Molden funeral home, Otter street, Thursday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock.

It will be a military funeral and the Rev. Paul R. Ronge, pastor of Zion Lutheran Church, will officiate. Burial will be in the Bristol Cemetery.

MRS. WILLIAM PRICKETT

NEWTOWN, Aug. 18—Funeral will take place tomorrow for Mrs. Mary Prickett, widow of William Prickett, who died in her 83rd year at the Church Convalescent Home, here. The service at two p. m., will be held in the Methodist Church, with interment in the Emille Methodist Churchyard. The deceased was the daughter of the late Charles and Annie Kruessling, and spent most of her life in Emille, Tullytown and Philadelphia. She has been a patient at the convalescent home for the past five months.

TO DEMONSTRATE RESCUE

On Thursday evening, at seven o'clock at Echo Beach, Cornwells Heights, there will be given a demonstration of the actual work done at the scene of a drowning, showing the use of the inhalator. Residents of all near-by communities are invited to attend.

ACTIVITIES OF MORRISVILLE MEN IN THE SERVICE RECOUNTED; SOME FROM DISTANCE ENJOY FURLOUGHS AT HOME

MORRISVILLE, Aug. 18—Activities of Morrisville men now serving in Uncle Sam's forces are herewith recounted.

Dr. Bernard A. Balsis reported on Thursday morning at Westover Field, Chicopee Falls, Mass., in the U. S. Army Air Corps medical unit. Dr. Balsis, who was head of the Morrisville Defense Council medical unit, receives the rank of first lieutenant.

Corp. Kenneth Hill, son of Mrs. Mary Jane Hill spent a week-end recently with his mother. Corp. Hill is stationed at Camp Lee, Va., where he is catcher and hitting .356 with the varsity baseball club. Corp. Hill was appointed as business manager of the baseball club.

Pri. Dominick Pinto, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pinto, of Camp Chaffee, Ark., returned to camp a few days ago after spending a furlough with his parents. Pri. Pinto was tendered a party by Stewart Lord, Sr., and included among those present were his brother, Seaman Anthony Pinto of the United States Coast Guard, and Charles Ashmore, son of Mrs. Charles Ashmore, of 142 Harrison avenue, in the U. S. Navy.

PFC Richard Groth, son of Mr. and

Mrs. Harry Groth, of White Horse, recently was home on furlough from Fort Sill, Okla., and was tendered a party by his sister, Mrs. Edward R. Roberts, Jr. Those attending: Mrs. George Lawrence and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Landersbach, Trenton, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Larson, of Lakeside Park; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Groth and son, Harry, Jr., and Mrs. Elizabeth Cumberley and son Harold, White Horse; Edward R. Roberts, Jr., Kenneth and "Buddy" Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. William Provost, have received word that their son, Charles, has been promoted to private first class. Pri. Provost is stationed at Camp Gordon, Ga., with Company C, 654th Tank Division Bn.

Pri. Calvin Stradling, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Stradling, returned Thursday to his base at Fort Sheridan, Ill., after spending a 10-day furlough here. Pri. Stradling is a member of the anti-aircraft corps.

Ensign Craig White, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Leslie White, of 518 Crown street, is stationed at the Naval Aviation Cadet School, Chapel, N. C., where he is a physical instructor in the U. S. Navy Reserve. Ensign White is a

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J. M. Flynn Dies In Phila. Hospital

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 18—John M. Flynn, former "dean" of the Pennsylvania Legislature and president of the Pennsylvania Manufacturers' Association for the last 10 years, died early yesterday in Graduate Hospital after an operation. He was 69.

Mr. Flynn, whose home was in Ridgway, Elk county, served as a State Representative from 1903 until he retired in 1936—a record of continuous service unequalled in the General Assembly.

He had been president of the Manufacturers' Association since Feb. 19, 1932, and was executive vice president of the Pennsylvania Manufacturers' Casualty Insurance Co. and the Pennsylvania Manufacturers' Fire Insurance Co.

He was vice president of the Elk County Manufacturers' Association, president of the Russell Snow Plow Co., Ridgway, and a director of the Duquesne Gas Co., Elk County National Bank and Elk County Country Club.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Marjorie Flynn; one son, J. Richard Flynn, of Erie; three daughters, Miss Kathleen Flynn, of Philadelphia; Mrs. Ralph A. Boyer, of Greensburg, and Mrs. William H. Cramer, of Chicago; a sister, Mrs. Mame Hetzner, of Grand Lodge, Mich., and a brother, Maurice Flynn, of Huntington, W. Va. Solemn Requiem Mass will be sung Thursday morning in St. Leo's Church, Ridgway.

NEWTOWN MAN SHARES GARDEN, INFORMATION

Robert B. McKenney Speaker For Bucks Co. Natural Science Ass'n

SUBJECT: LILY CULTURE

NEWTOWN, Aug. 18—Bucks County Natural Science Association met Saturday on the grounds of Newtown Friends' Meeting House, with S. W. Fletche, Jr., presiding. Twenty-five attended this session devoted to "Lilies," with Robert B. McKenney as speaker. In discussing lily culture, Mr. McKenney said two essentials are good drainage and free air moving in the soil. "Careless planting brings failures. Dip digging, cinder bottom, plenty of sharp sand and not placing the bulb

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Engagement Is Made Known At Evening Affair Here

The engagement of Miss Frances Rose Piccardi, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Piccardi, Washington street, to Thomas Apoldite, Trenton, N. J., was announced Saturday evening at a party held at the Piccardi home.

About 100 guests attended. The engagement was announced by Miss Piccardi's cousin, Hugo Piccardi, Dorrance street. Dancing was followed by refreshments. The dining room was decorated in blue and white. Miss Piccardi received many gifts.

Mr. Apoldite, who has been inducted into the U. S. Army, will leave on Thursday for camp. No date has been set for the wedding.

War Bond Sale Pledges Are Increasing Daily

Pledges for the purchase of War Savings Bonds, in connection with the big drive to be held tomorrow under the auspices of the Mill Street Business Men's Association, now total \$60,100, a jump of \$5,100 over yesterday's announced figure of \$55,000.

Tomorrow, from 1 to 5 p. m., Mill street merchants will concentrate on raising another \$45,000 to achieve their goal of \$100,000. Those merchants who are participating in the drive will not be open for business, except for the sale of bonds and stamps.

The committee, headed by Abe Popkin, urge all to buy bonds. If you cannot be in Bristol tomorrow make your pledge now.

Request Grangers To Give Time, Food for Defense

BUCKINGHAM, Aug. 18—Grange members of Tyro Hall organization have been requested to give of their time and of their fruits and vegetables for the purpose of preserving such as a defense measure.

Apples, beets, corn, lima beans, tomatoes, etc., are sought, and a definite canning day has been set—Thursday, August 20th.

Mrs. Watson Rockefeller is chairman of the home economics committee.

MRS. WILLIAM SMITH

CROYDON, Aug. 18—Death yesterday claimed Mrs. Mary Smith at Doylestown. Mrs. Smith, widow of William Smith, formerly resided in Flushing, and of recent years made her home in Croydon. She is survived by one son, Preston Smith. Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

TO PAY RESPECTS

The American Legion Cadet Corps will report at the Bracken Post Home in uniform at seven p. m. Wednesday, then proceed in group to pay respects to the late Sergeant Thomas Somers, who was formerly drum instructor for the corps.

REPORT 74 CASES BEING CARED FOR BY RED CROSS HERE

Executive Session Takes Place; Activities Are Reported

FOOD TO PRISONERS

Local Office Receives Requests To Aid in Contacting Relatives

The American Red Cross of Bristol held its monthly board meeting yesterday afternoon at Red Cross headquarters, 120 Mill street. Minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. Frank Lehman in the absence of Mrs. Franklin Wallin, secretary. Mrs. E. Linton Martin, treasurer, reported the condition of the treasury.

Miss Frances Landreth's home service report contained an active service case received on a Sunday morning in the absence of the executive secretary. This was cared for by Miss Landreth and the necessary information sent to an army camp.

Mrs. Marie Holland reported 25 active, 14 ex-service, and 35 civilian cases, a total of 74 cases in the branch's jurisdiction, with 13 new active, one ex-service and three service cases for July was 19. Mrs. Holland stated that the service load is growing; also advice sought concerning boys out of the country. She also advised that letters be written frequently of a cheery, bright nature. This is very important. The Red Cross no longer is sending individual packages to soldiers, but from Geneva, Switzerland, food is sent to prisoners in bulk.

Bristol office is receiving requests from various camps all over our country, and from foreign places inquiries of relatives where mail service has been closed are sought. Letters have been received from Germany, Norway, Holland, Sweden, Denmark, asking for information concerning relatives living in this area. The Red Cross seeks the missing ones and gives the privilege of a return telegram of 25 words without cost. Fifteen messages have been sent to people in Bristol and vicinity.

The production report for July numbers 54 women producing 1236 hours of work. The surgical dressings number 1508. Each dressing is separately wrapped, sterilized and sealed.

Mrs. Russell DeLong, chairman of volunteer service, spoke of the several activities. The home hygiene class taught by Mrs. Fahringer is about completed, but she will start a new class

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PROTECTIVE ASS'N IS TO HAVE A MEETING

Delaware Valley Group Plans 10th Annual Session For Friday

BROADENS OBJECTIVES

NEW HOPE, Aug. 18—On the evening of Friday, August 21st, the 10th annual meeting of the Delaware Valley Protective Association will be held at Phillips Mill, at eight o'clock.

Francis A. Wade, chairman of the membership committee, in a letter sent to members with a notice of the meeting made the following statement: "You will get more benefit from

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MEDICAL STUDENT FATALLY HURT WHEN HIT BY A TRUCK; WOMAN COMPANION HAS POSSIBLE CONCUSSION OF BRAIN

Prepare Food Bank For Young Babies

Babies that may be hastily brought into Bucks County from nearby cities in case of air raids will find, in at least one defense center, that their special food needs have been fully anticipated; with Food Bank "Baby Boxes"—first of their kind in the nation, so far as known—ready for instant use.

Each of these neat packets, many of which now are stored in New Britain Township, contains a nursing bottle with nipple, a can of evaporated milk, two cans of strained vegetables, a package of Pabulum, and an emergency feeding formula specially prepared by Dr. R. H. Rufe.

To Mrs. William Dibert and Mrs. Oliver Kling go the honors for this clever way of meeting one of the most urgent needs in mass evacuation. These two active members of the New Britain Township unit of the Women's Home Defense division of the Volunteer Office of Civilian Defense, of which Mrs. A. Winthrop Hiscoe is chairman, suddenly realized that the Food Bank cans held nothing suited to the "tummies" of the teeny-weenies!

"My goodness!" exclaimed their associates, who have done a grand job of putting up vegetables, and the Baby Box suggestion got going without delay! Now, there's a shelf of these veritable life-savers for the youngest, and as soon as the news gets around, likely enough every other Food Bank unit in the county will follow suit. It may even come to pass that other counties in this and other states may, as often heretofore, borrow a "first" from Bucks!

NAMED ADMINISTRATOR OF WAR TRANSPORTATION

Minot J. Hill Aiding in Effort To Conserve Rubber; Committee Named

URG E "DOUBLING-UP"

Minot J. Hill, who has been named administrator of War Defense Transportation for Bristol area, is endeavoring, with the aid of three other local men, to help in the rubber-conservation effort.

Mr. Hill, who states that his territory embraces the local defense area, has named the personnel directors of three defense plants here as assistants in the effort. The trio is composed of Walter Strang, of Fleetwings, Inc.; Franklin Wallin, of Rohm & Haas Company; and Francis B. Manchester, of Hunter Manufacturing Company.

The group is endeavoring to aid in the Government effort to conserve not only rubber tires, but gasoline as well. In consulting with the three, Mr. Hill has thoroughly considered the possibilities of employees in the plants using trains or buses to reach their employment, and suggestions have been made to all possible that this type of transportation be used.

If it is necessary to use automobiles, and there are several from one community at a distance travelling to a local plant, they are asked to "double up," filling each private automobile so that one machine will not be making the trip with but one or two persons. Studies of types of transportation used by the employees of the three plants, made some time ago, aided in the effort now being carried forward.

Driver of Vehicle Is Apprehended As He Passes Police Barracks

SCHEDULE HEARING

Operator States He Heard Thud, But Investigation Revealed Nothing

The driver of a truck tractor and semi-trailer was arrested today on a charge of involuntary manslaughter after the vehicle he operated on the Lincoln Highway struck a young man and young woman last midnight, the accident resulting in death of the man.

The victim: Henry J. Hozur, 318 E. Noble street, Nanticoke, who was residing temporarily at Langhorne R. D. 1.

Hozur died at 6:35 this morning in Nazareth Hospital, Philadelphia, to which institution he was taken in the ambulance of Parkland First Aid Squad.

Hozur's companion, Miss Mary Spinneil, Langhorne R. D., sustained a possible concussion of the brain and laceration of the back, was said to be improved at her home this morning.

Hozur, who suffered a fracture of the skull and lacerations of the scalp, bled profusely from the nose and ear. He was a medical student at Hahnemann Hospital, Philadelphia; and was

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Bucks County Cows Set Records in Their Class

PETERBOROUGH, N. H., Aug. 18—A new record exceeding the average of the Guernsey breed for her age and class has just been completed by a 3½ year old cow, Victoria Rose of Locusts, 555750, of Doylestown, Pa., tested and owned by F. N. & T. M. Shaw. Her official record supervised by the Pennsylvania State College and announced by The American Guernsey Cattle Club is 15447.0 pounds of milk and 717.9 pounds of butter fat, class DD.

A new record, exceeding the average of the Guernsey breed for her age and class has been completed by a two year old cow, Fritzlin Jupiter's Marguerite, 584241, of Pipersville, Pa., tested and owned by William F. Fretz. Her official record supervised by the Pennsylvania State College and announced by The American Guernsey Cattle Club is 11482.0 pounds of milk and 587.4 pounds of butter fat, class G.

Business of Importance To Be Discussed Tonight

The air raid wardens of the First Ward will hold their August meeting this evening in Bristol Methodist Church at eight o'clock. A large attendance is expected as this is the first meeting held since the two daylight tests, and also, at this time plans will be made for the two-state black out to be held before Sept. 1st.

Plans will also be discussed for the fall sessions and courses of study to be taken up at that time. All are invited to attend this meeting, especially anyone who desires to become an air raid warden.

PRE-CONVENTION SESSION

A pre-convention meeting of Robert W. Bracken Post, No. 382, American Legion, is to be held at 8:30 tonight in the post home. Matters of importance will be discussed. It is announced; and officers will be nominated.

One Man's Opinion

By Walter Klerman (I. N. S. Staff Writer)

Despite our efforts to stamp them out, rugged individualists are showing their heads again.

We've got this fellow Higgins who wants to turn out ships like cookies in a bakery and this man Kaiser who wants to fill the air with cargo planes.

The bureaucrats keep telling them "it's impossible" and they keep saying "all right—all right—we'll do it."

What kind of people are they anyway? Contrast their stubbornness with those wild-cat strikers who returned to a New Jersey war plant last week.

The Army and Navy took over the plant and the strikers went back saying "we'll be happy to work for Uncle Sam."

They telegraphed the President too. They said they were right behind him.

Isn't that ducky?

If we strike off medals for "intense patriotism" who do you think we're going to give them to—Higgins and Kaiser pestering the bureaucrats in Washington or those sterling souls who are "happy to work for Uncle Sam"?

Thought for the day: All right Major—we'll go peacefully.

LATEST NEWS BULLETINS

Soviet Troops Inflict Heavy Losses on Germans

Moscow—Soviet troops on the vital Stalingrad front today inflicted tremendous losses on attacking German legions, hurled back the Nazis in a number of sectors and forced them to precipitate retreat.

The Nazis have been throwing everything at their disposal into an all-out effort to take the big industrial city on the Volga, but thus far have achieved only terrific casualties.

Both prongs of the German pincers were reported stopped in their tracks as Soviet forces staged savage counter blows from two directions.

Latest advices said the Germans were bringing up reinforcements of fresh infantry and tank troops for new attacks.

Seven Killed In Raid By Germans

London—At least eleven persons were killed and a number of others injured in the southern British town last night after a German bombing attack. It was announced today.

Many small houses were extensively damaged and late today rescuers were still searching among the debris for other victims believed trapped.

President Cancels Press Conference

Washington—The White House today announced that President Roosevelt has cancelled his regular Tuesday afternoon press conference. No explanation was given.

U. S. Army Air Corps Use Medium Bombers In Raid

Cairo—The United States Army Air Corps in Egypt used medium bombers for the first time in a raid on Mersa Matruh Sunday night, it was disclosed today. This was taken as evidence of the growing weight of American striking power in the air.

A number of direct hits were scored on targets in the Mersa Matruh area, it was announced, and a number of fires started. Only a comparatively small force was involved in the raid.

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"FIGHTING WAR" IS ON

Days, perhaps weeks, may go by before definite information on the outcome of the Battle of the Solomon Islands is available, but at this stage of its development there can be no doubt of its importance. It is the first big American offensive of the war. It is a milestone because at last the initiative has been taken by the Allies.

A closely integrated, well-planned combined sea and air attack, accompanied by landing forces, has for the first time been launched to drive the Japanese out of land that they won in the earlier stages of the war. A considerable force is engaged. And as in the Coral Sea, the Japanese seem again to have been beaten to the draw. If they were, for a second time, preparing an invasion of Australia, they certainly have been interrupted.

There are other phases of the Solomon action that are encouraging. The Japanese, this time, were not tipped off to what was coming. Their spies and fifth columnists aren't doing so well. Prime Minister Curtin, of Australia, added the deception by making a public protest about failure of America and Britain to pay much attention to his front. Of course, when the battle was actually joined, Mr. Curtin was glad to retract his decoy statement and give all praise to the laboriously prepared attack.

Moreover, American attacks on Japanese occupied western islands of the Aleutian group came at the same time as the Solomon attack. If the Japanese originally used the attack on Dutch Harbor as a feint to veil their major move on Midway, so we have feinted, or done even more. The Japanese have garrisoned the Aleutians, probably more with an eye to blocking American aid to Russia in Siberia than to an imminent attack of major consequence on the Canadian or American West Coast.

These moves are designed, in part, to impair the impending Japanese attack on Siberia and to insure a backdoor supply route to European Russia, and they are as alarming to all the Axis nations as they are heartening to Australia and the West Coast of America.

A fighting war is what MacArthur promised the Japs. The Battle of the Solomon Islands is the first offensive step in making that promise stick.

THE BANGOR CHASER

Canada is giving a thorough try-out to the long-contended point that an answer to the submarine is a comparatively small, swift surface craft. Vessels of this kind, in three different types, are guarding the Saint Lawrence River and the Gulf into which it empties. Since Hitler began his submarine war on this side of the Atlantic the U-boats have paid occasional visits to the mouth of the Saint Lawrence and have sunk several merchantmen there.

In preparing to combat the submarines the Canadians have added to their Corvettes and Fairmales a new boat called the "hush-hush" Bangor-class chaser. That "hush-hush" is descriptive of the military secrecy that surrounds this war vessel. It is known that it is fast and easily maneuverable, but its equipment has not been disclosed.

It is described as having a "stinger" for the submarine which is deadly and as being able to "get" the U-boat either when surfaced or submerged.

NEWS BRIEFS FROM SUBURBAN TOWNS

HULMEVILLE

The Rev. and Mrs. Woodrow W. Kern, Philadelphia, and Miss Grace H. Dilck, Hulmeville, are in attendance this week at sessions of the Young Adult Institute being held at Beaver College, Jenkintown. The Rev. Kern was former pastor of Bensalem Methodist Church.
A guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. C. Wesley Haefer is Mrs. William Kelley, of Providence, Md.
William Freund, who is stationed with a U. S. Army unit in Alaska, has been promoted from the rank of corporal to that of sergeant.
Sunday visitors at the home of Charles Haefer were: Mr. and Mrs. William Schwartz and sons Carl and "Bitty" Philadelphia; Mrs. G. Russell Harrison, Miss Lottie A. Smith and Raymond Harrison, of New Brunswick, N. J.

TULLYTOWN

PFC Bert Streeter, Pine Camp, N. Y., was a Sunday guest of Miss Vera Lovett.
Mrs. Domenica Luzei and Miss Rose DiCicco were Sunday visitors of the former's sister, Mrs. Caroline Pizzano, Crum Lynne.
Mr. and Mrs. John Lefever, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Morris and son Henry, Jr., Trenton, N. J., were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Doan.
Mr. and Mrs. Simon Lynch, Jersey City, N. J., were Tuesday visitors of the

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lynch. Mrs. Lynch is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. William McMann, Washington, N. J.
Mr. and Mrs. Watson Stokes, Trenton, N. J., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carlson.
Mrs. William Quinn has been visiting her husband, William Quinn, who is stationed at Pensacola, Fla.
Mrs. Victoria Piroli has been spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Carl Hirdst, Lakewood, N. J.

THE CAPITOL WHIRL

By International News Service
HARRISBURG, Aug. 18 — (INS) — Buildings in the State Capitol group are protected by one of the largest single air raid units in the State. More than 1200 volunteers are members of various air raid combat teams on Capitol Hill. All have received instructions from Civilian Defense officials regarding duties during drills or actual air raids. The volunteers are being fingerprinted and photographed. Such information will be shown on a card which will identify them in case of any emergency. Only drawback so far is that many of the volunteers live outside of Harrisburg, and in event of air raids they apparently would be unable to get to the State Capitol to perform their duties.
Hundreds of trees surrounding the State Capitol are receiving their annual "injection" of fertilizer. Many City, N. J., were Tuesday visitors of the

partment of Property and Supplies is forced to award contracts to tree surgery firms to remove heavy branches that might fall and injure passersby. The fertilizer crew used drills to bore holes deep into the earth surrounding the tree roots and then force fertilizer into the openings. Capitol landscape gardeners say the trees are in excellent condition but point out that several of the very old trees that have stood in the park for a half-century probably will have to be removed.

Walter D. Roos, 43-year-old publicity director for the State Commerce Department will be inducted into the armed forces August 24th at New Cumberland. Roos, who was training for a second lieutenant's commission when World War I ended, was a political writer for the Harrisburg Patriot after serving his apprenticeship on Reading papers. Later he worked for Philadelphia, Scranton and Reading papers and in 1939 was named to head the Commerce Department's publicity staff by Gov. Arthur H. James. He probably will be succeeded by William D. Sparks, who has been Secretary Mark S. James' publicity representative assigned to the hard coal fields, where the Department is attempting to stamp out boot-legging.
For the first time in recent years the basement corridors of the State Capitol are starting to fill up with old filing cases, desks, lounges and chairs from offices that have been discontinued throughout the State. Biggest

contributor to the collection is the Department of Public Assistance, which has been retrenching as the state-wide relief rolls shrink. Adding to the confusion are piles of unopened packages labeled for the State Council of Defense which jam the receiving corridor in the basement. Although space was made available in an abandoned storeroom, the Council receives so much mail that it must use the corridors for storage.

LONG JOURNEY HOME

PHILADELPHIA, (INS)—A 17,000-mile journey to get back to the "best country in the world" is the boast of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rickard and their four sons, now residents of Pleasantville, N. J. Rickard, a professor of English at the University of Rangoon, walked 150 miles to reach his family who had evacuated to Fort White, and from there the trip was made by pony, native carts and boats, launch, train and ocean liner.

Report 74 Cases Being Cared For by Red Cross Here

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In September, limited to 20 persons. Mrs. DeLong stated that at a lecture she attended, Miss Susan Francis stated that Red Cross trained aids are working in 24 hospitals and number 900 women.
The total at the present time that have given this service is 41,600. The army is calling for 3000 a month.
Mrs. Carl Foell, director of Junior Red Cross, spoke of increased activity among children of the town during the summer. The meeting adjourned to meet the third Monday in September.

Activities of Morrisville Men In The Service Recounted

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graduate of Pa. State College with the class of 1941 and was varsity halfback for three seasons.
Corporal Technician William Tettemer, son of Isaac Tettemer, is stationed at Craig, Fla., with the U. S. Army 123rd Signal Corps.
Mrs. Arthur Patterson has received word that her husband has been promoted to the rank of corporal in the U. S. Army. Corporal Patterson is stationed in Pittsburgh and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson. Another son, Pri. Jacob Patterson, is with the U. S. Army in Hawaii.
Pri. Edward Wilcox, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wilcox, Sr., is now stationed with the U. S. Army at Indiantown Gap. Private Wilcox is spending the week-end with his parents.

"B" Stands For "Biscuits"

By Frances Lee Barton

"B" stands for biscuits, but it stands also for bee, butter, and baking powder. And incidentally, when you bring out your butter, your baking powder, and the honey from the bee, you don't need to add very many other ingredients until you have the necessary items for the honey biscuits below. Try this sugary recipe and note the results. You'll be delighted:
2 cups sifted cake flour; 2 teaspoons double-acting baking powder; 1/2 teaspoon salt; 5 table-spoons butter or other shortening; 1/2 cup milk.
4 table-spoons butter; 1/2 cup honey. Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift again. Cut in shortening. Add milk all at once and stir carefully until all flour is dampened. Then stir vigorously until mixture forms a soft dough and follows spoon around bowl. Turn out on lightly floured-board and knead 30 seconds. Roll 1/4 inch thick and cut with floured 2 1/2 inch biscuit cutter. Bake on ungreased baking sheet in hot oven (450° F.) 12 to 15 minutes.
Cream butter, add honey, and blend. Remove biscuits from oven; split in halves. Spread with honey mixture. Put halves together and serve with remaining honey mixture. Makes 18 biscuits.

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Announcements

Deaths 1

SOMERS — Suddenly at Philadelphia, Pa., August 16, 1942, Sergeant Thomas H., husband of Edith A. Somers (nee Schneider). Relatives and friends, also members of Bucks Lodge No. 1169, L. O. O. M., are invited to the funeral from Molder's Funeral Chapel, 133 Otter St., Bristol, on Thursday at 2:30 p. m. Interment Bristol Cemetery. Friends may call Wednesday evening, 7 to 9.

Funeral Directors

A CONVENIENT PLAN—For moderate funerals, William J. Murphy Est., 316 Jefferson Ave., Bristol, Pa., ph. 3417.
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Automobiles for Sale 11
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Auto Accessories, Tires, Parts 13
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WOMAN—For general housework, splendid wages. Write Box No. 353, Bristol Courier.
GIRL—To work at soda fountain. Apply Harry Straus, 407 Mill St.
LAUNDRY HELP—Shirts, blouses, markers, and sorters. Apply Safety Laundry, 1415 Radcliffe St., ph. 541.
GIRL—For cooking and housework. Telephone Bristol 2138.
HOUSEKEEPER—Small family, sleep in, own room & priv. bath. \$15 week. Phone Bristol 2850.
YOUNG GIRL—Or middle-aged woman, white. No cooking or laundry. Sleep in or out. Apply Pa. Motor Police, Lincoln Highway, Oxford Valley, or call Langhorne 2361.
Help Wanted—Male 33
STEWARD—White, middle aged, day work. Apply at Elks Home daily, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.
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BUSINESS MAN—Police graduate, with executive ability, desires position, either bookkeeper or other office work. Write Box 354, Courier.

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PARTIES

SOCIAL EVENTS

ACTIVITIES

All-Day Conference Planned
By League of Women Voters

FINLAND, Aug. 18 — Members of Bucks County League of Women Voters have arranged an all-day conference to take place here on Thursday.

The session will open at 10:45 a. m., with three separate groups conducted by Dr. Ruth Fedder, Miss Genevieve Bowen, and Paul L. Gruber, educational leaders. The trio is from the staff of Charles H. Boehm, superintendent of Bucks County public schools.

The afternoon session will consist of a resume of the morning session followed by a coordination and forum by County Superintendent Boehm. An address by a guest speaker will close the program. Finland is five miles from Quakertown and also from Sellersville.

In a Personal Way - - -

INTERESTING bits of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings. - - -

Today's Quiet Moment

(By the Rev. James R. Galley)
Pastor, Bristol Presbyterian Church

O Lord, our Lord, how excellent is thy Name in all the earth. Thou art our God, and the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, through Whom we, Thy children of faith, have the forgiveness of our sins. Thou art our father's God; and Whom they in the flesh confidently worshipped, we, Thy children, would also reverently worship and adore. Lead us to a more definite, personal commitment to Thee, Who alone can deliver us. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

moved from Willow Grove to North Radcliffe street.

Miss Helen VanAken, McKinley street, has accepted a position in the office of the Pennsylvania Railroad, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mason have moved from 237 to 309 Radcliffe street.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Hetherington, Locust street, spent Saturday and Sunday in New York.

Mrs. Irvin Scheffey, Jr., and daughters Phoebe and Ellen, Harrison street, left Friday for Wilkeson, Ind., where they will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul White, Sr., and sons Arthur and Alan, New Buckley street, spent Sunday in Doylestown, visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Gilliland.

The Misses Helen and Mary Scheffey, Pond street, are making an extended stay with Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Scheffey, Jr., Philadelphia.

ON THE SCREENS

GRAND THEATRE

What happens when the maestro of the top swing band of the country hears the call to arms and joins up? Why, his whole outfit goes right along with him.

This problem and answer are tunately propounded in "Private Buckaroo" which opened yesterday at the Grand Theatre.

Harry James, the hottest and most

heard, is the orchestra leader and with him to help along the entertainment and the plot are the famed Andrews Sisters, Joe E. Lewis, top night club performer who makes his first bow on the screen here, Dick Foran, Ernest Truex, Shemp Howard and a lot of other charming and talented people.

RITZ THEATRE

A screen newcomer who definitely bears watching is Marguerite Chapman, John Howard's leading lady in "Submarine Raider," a drama of the attack on Pearl Harbor and now at the Ritz Theatre.

As a Royal Canadian Mounted Police officer, with both courage and intelligence, Kermit Maynard, the "fighting trooper" film star, blazes a new trail to triumphant screen glory in James Oliver Curwood's "Phantom Patrol," which is the current featured attraction at the Ritz Theatre.

BRISTOL THEATRE

"Las Vegas Nights," featuring Phil Regan, Bert Wheeler, Tommy Dorsey and his band, is part of a double feature today. Beautiful Florence Rice portrays a newspaper gal in an uproarious army comedy, "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp." Currently at the Bristol Theatre, the new hit also features the comic talents of Jackie Gleason, Jack Duran and Mabel Todd among others.

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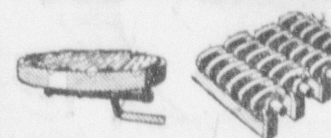
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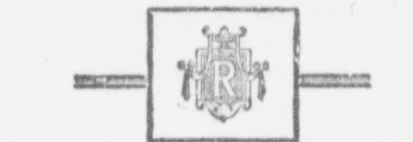
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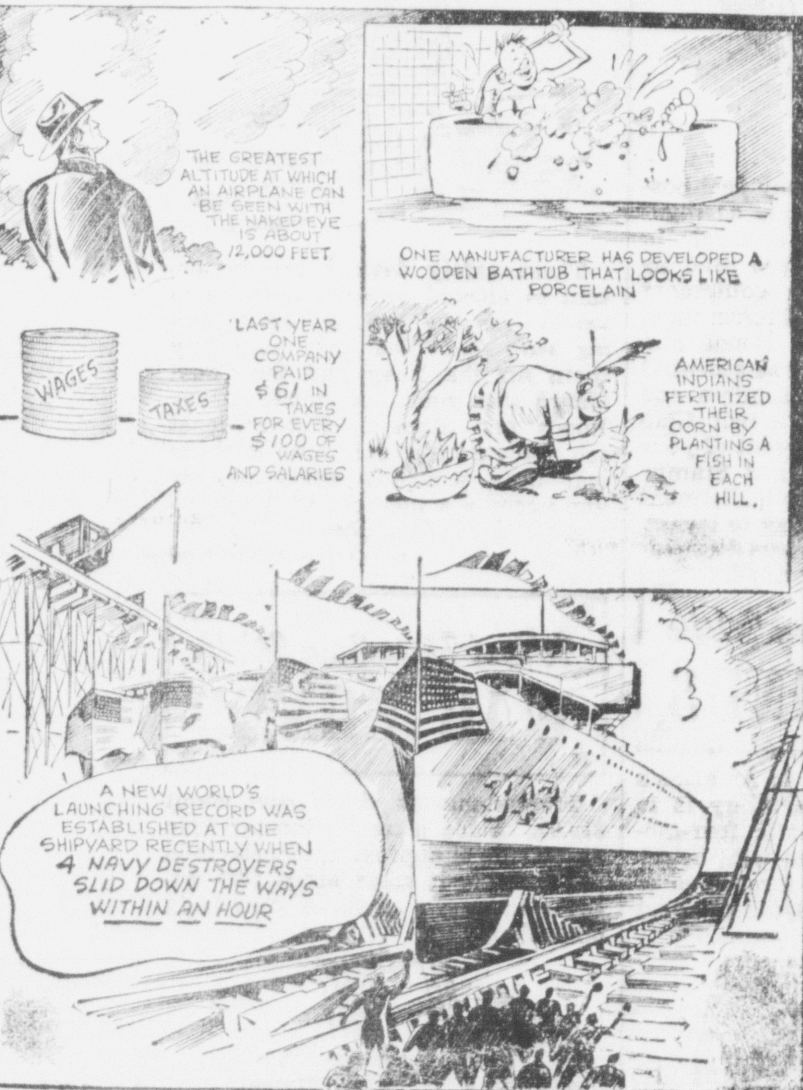
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'YANKS' NEED RUSSO, 'HARD LUCK KID,' FOR THE COMING SERIES

McCarthy Counting On Him; Southpaw is Sorely Needed

A SPLENDID RECORD Jump From Campus To AA Ball Was Easy For The Young Player

By Bob Brumby
(I. N. S. Sports Writer)

The Brooklyn Dodgers may have won this year's world series down in Florida last spring. Just to prove this statement is not double talk, let us explain.

Marius Russo, the hard luck kid of the New York Yankees' pitching staff, had been in camp a couple of days. After holding out for several weeks he finally agreed to terms with President Ed Barrow and then began to work out.

On the first day at Waterfront Park, Russo looked like money in the world series bank for Boss Joe McCarthy. A left-hander, his side arm curve, overhand curve and side arm fast ball that breaks with the tantalizing deception of a screw ball, were working to perfection.

McCarthy beamed. He remembered only too well the four-hitter Russo had hurled against the Dodgers in last fall's world series to win the third game, 2 to 1, and give the Yankees a two game to one edge when it seemed the Brooks were beginning to roll behind their powerful, left-handed offense at the plate.

Russo tied up the portside batters tighter than a law abiding night club at 4 A. M. The Yankees went on to win the series.

So, last spring McCarthy was counting on Russo more than ever. Lefty Gomez was getting old and Boss knew that he would slip fast. Russo was coming on. Then, on the second day of spring practice, Russo fired an overhand fast curve and something pulled in his left shoulder.

Russo grimaced, then walked toward the club house for treatment.

"My hard luck coming back again," he mourned as a trainer worked over the injured arm.

Thus far this season Russo has been able to work three games, winning two and losing one. In one of the victories he pitched eight scoreless innings against Detroit, then had to be relieved because the flipper became so sore he could no longer continue to throw.

McCarthy hopes that Russo will be able to work in time to be in top condition for the series, which McCarthy believes but won't admit his team will enter, but it's doubtful.

Again the Dodgers are laden with left-handed hitters. Gomez is the only lefty, aside from Russo, that the wily manager who won five pennants in six years, will be able to throw at the cocky Durochermen. With Russo in shape the problem would be solved. Ernie Bonham, Charley Ruffing and Spurgeon Chandler, all right-handers, along with Russo, would form a tough barrier for the Durochermen to hurdle.

But with Russo out, the Dodgers look forward gleefully to fattening on some right-handed world series pitching.

Already the gamblers have taken Russo's cogitation into serious—no pun intended—consideration and are withholding odds on large sized bets until something definite is known about his condition.

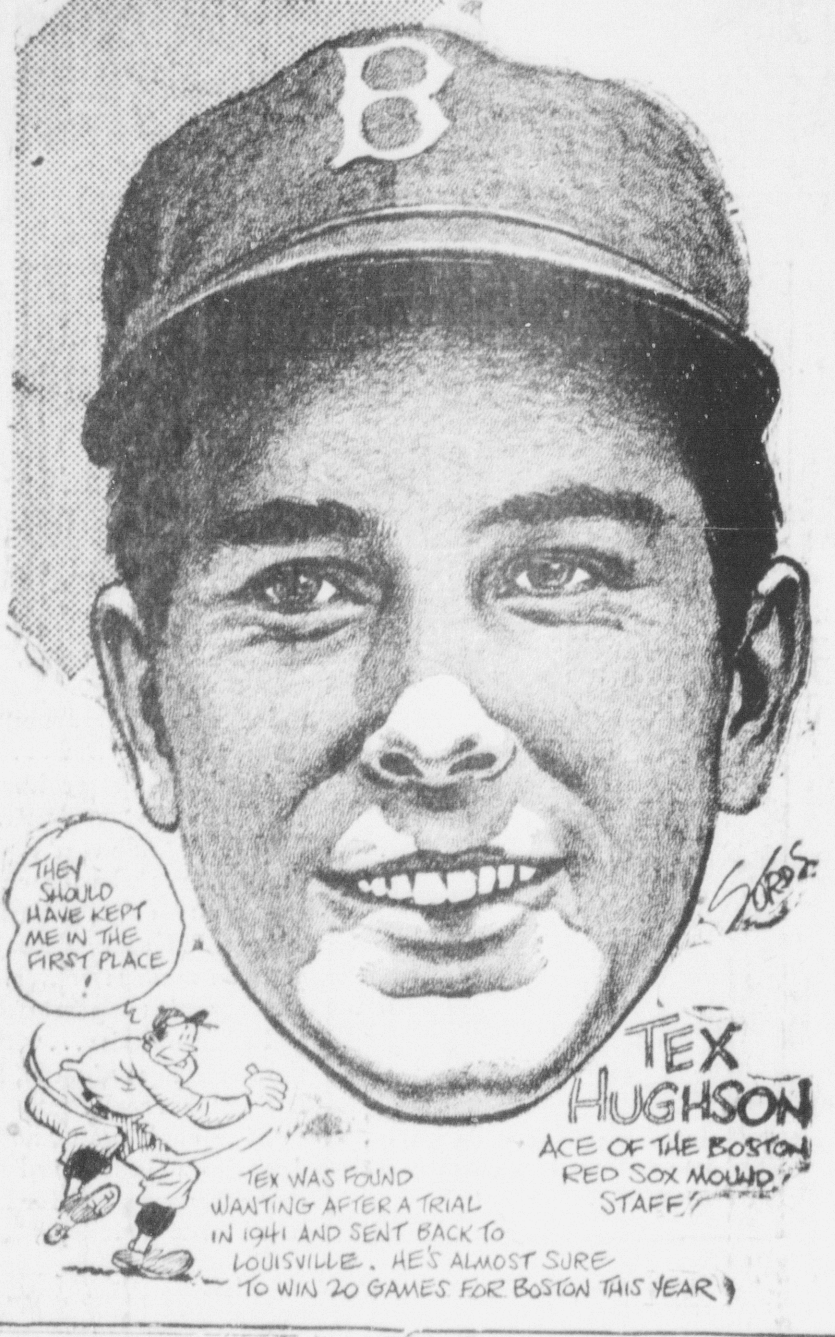
At present Russo's future looks darker than he, or his teammates, would care to admit.

If his elbow was the injured member, more hope could be held out for him. But when a pitcher hurts his shoulder, the power is gone. Let Carl Hubbell of the Giants, one of the greatest southpaw pitchers in baseball's history, explain:

"When a pitcher hurts his elbow he can still throw 'em in, despite the pain. But when he hurts his shoulder he can't do a thing. There is no power left, the old pendulum stops."

RED SOX ACE

By Jack Sordy



SUBURBAN LEAGUE WILL CLOSE TONIGHT

With two games scheduled, the regular season of the Bristol Suburban League comes to a close tonight. St. Ann's clashes with Badenhausen on Turner's field and Hunter's meets Edgely on the latter's diamond. No game is listed for St. Ann's field.

Two of the three games scheduled for last night were rained out while Edgely was awarded a forfeited game from the Diamond team. Diamond had four players on the field at starting time. The victory gave Edgely a firm grip on second place.

Arrangements are now being made for the five-game playoff series between Voltz-Texaco, second-half winners, and Edgely, winners of the first half. The first four games between the teams will be arranged by the managers while the fifth game, if necessary, will be conducted by the league.

Claims Man Pushed Her From Her Auto

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The story given by the two was that they met last night at a taproom near Philadelphia city line as Bosak was enroute to New York looking for employment. He states he was hitchhiking. After having some beverages and playing darts, the two stated, they left in the coupe owned by Mrs. Grofstedt. At Street Road and City Line it is alleged that Bosak pushed the woman from the car and continued on the Lincoln Highway toward New York. Mrs. Grofstedt immediately telephoned the South Langhorne barracks, and within a few minutes Bosak was taken in custody as he passed the spot. Bosak claimed to the officers that the woman had granted him the use of the machine, and that he was to return it tonight.

Private Shovelin investigated the case.

Medical Student Fatally Hurt When Hit By a Truck

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engaged as an interne at Philadelphia State Hospital, Byberry.

According to Miss Spinnelli, she and Hozer had gotten off a bus at Somerton and were walking toward their homes. She says they were walking with traffic, and does not recall what happened.

The driver of the truck, Lawrence Dale Hoagland, of McKeesport, stated that about one-half mile East of Philadelphia city line, in Bensalem Township, he heard a thud. He told officers at Pennsylvania Motor Police barracks, South Langhorne, that he stopped his truck, owned by Kramer Bros. Inc. of Detroit, Mich., and looked about, thinking he had side-swiped something. He says he saw nothing, but pulled to the right side of the highway and stopped a second time to look about.

A telephone call at the South Langhorne barracks resulted in Hoagland's apprehension, he being informed that it was alleged his truck had struck the two persons, hurting the man seriously.

A hearing will be given Hoagland today before Justice of the Peace Joseph A. Keating, South Langhorne.

Newtown Man Shares Garden, Information

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lower than six inches are necessary. A lily bulb is tender, easily harmed by earthworms and moles. Various dis-

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eases of root, leaf or bud must be fought. Many bulbs in the past have been diseased at the start. The Golden-band (Auratum) lily is quite likely to infect other plantings. The Philippine-nense, now called Formosanum, will not live if other lilies are planted near." The speaker displayed six lily plants to use for the study of bulb, stalk, leaf arrangement, and flower position. Every bulb had two sets of roots, one below the other above the bulb. He said: "When lilies are native of warm countries they have small bulbs not needing to store up strength. This Formosanum from the Philippines, has a very small bulb. It blooms several times a year in its native habitat. Here, however, sometimes frost comes before it has fully finished blooming. It is very desirable however as it bears a large, fragrant, long-lasting white flower."

Other specimens were Henryi, a tall strong grower with deep orange hues; Tigrinum, an old favorite; Speciosum Magnificum, the only pink garden lily; Umbellatum, a strong red lily which looks up rather than droops, and the Regale, a hardy prolific Chinese variety.

The speaker showed some seed pods of the Southwest Yucca plant called by some soapweed. It is not confined longer to the Southwest as it is moving up from the Gulf of Mexico, establishing itself in sandy stretches. Along the Atlantic Coast it has now reached as far north as Sandy Hook, N. J. "It belongs to the lily family and especially deserves study because of its strange manner of fertilization. The life story of the Yucca moth is worth the reading."

At the close of this talk, the speaker donated the bulbs he had used in his presentation to the Society which in turn sold them at auction for the treasury's benefit.

A tour was next taken of the plantings at Mr. McKenney's home. His collection of hollies was outstanding—a low growing, wind breaker, New England plant, two English varieties, a small leafed Japanese, a rectangular leafed Chinese, the winter berry, and a holly like plant called holly-olive. The stands of hardy begonia (Oxan-siana) and of the Japanese Anemone were most unusual. The Gormia

(Franklin tree) was in full bloom. The Gerberas were of prize-winning quality. A passion vine displayed many of its queerly built blooms.

A bed of red dahlias were of interest in that they are capable of being forced to bloom early in May and are called Mother's Day dahlias. A York-Lancaster rose was seen. Sometimes it bears white, sometimes red roses. A bush Clematis with bluish lavender flowers was new to all and a Staphleabladner nut was unidentified by the group. Tropical plants were numerous—figs, lemons and orchids. Camellias, the pride of many southern gardens, are also Mr. McKenney's pride. He has had great success with this plant of waxy flower and shiny leaf. His Sweet Boy and Evergreen Virginia Magnolias were also enjoyed.

The next meeting will be held September 20th at the Friends Meeting House grounds here. Gordon Fromm will talk on "The Chemistry of Soap," and Wendell Oliver, Morrisville, will discuss "The Health Family—as found in Forest or Field or Garden."

Protective Ass'n Is To Have A Meeting

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your membership in the Delaware Valley Protective Association this year than ever before.

"For these are times when most of us are concentrating our thoughts and efforts on winning the war; and we must rely more than ever on the Association to protect the beauty and welfare of our valley."

"If we are to avoid losing the gains we have worked so hard and long to make—if we are to come out of these trying times with our lovely countryside unspoiled—we must maintain our strong membership and build up our treasury, so that the Association can continue its work for the good of us all."

During the year the Association has broadened its objectives which are listed as follows:

1. Oversight of Public Lands and Historic Landmarks.

2. Restoration and Care of Canal.
3. Development of Gardens and Natural Flora.
4. Zoning to protect the rural character of the valley.
5. Educational Campaign Against Roadside Signs.
6. Development of Desirable Facilities for Recreation.
7. Affiliation with Organizations having Similar Objectives.
8. Sufficient Desirable Publicity.
9. Favorable Legislation and Adequate Appropriations.

Election of officers and short talks by leaders in the various interests of the Association will be the program for the night.

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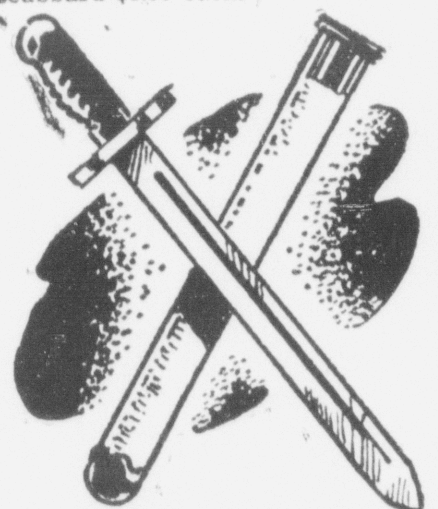
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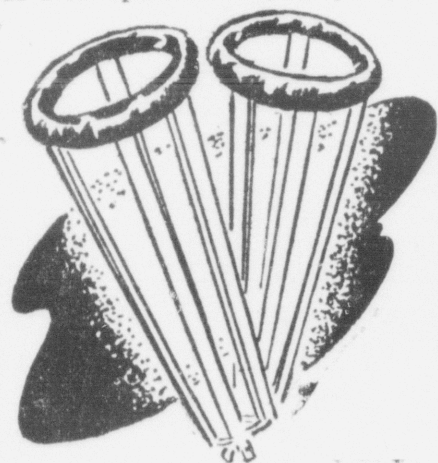


We need millions of these weapons for our rapidly growing army. You can help pay for them with your purchase of War Bonds and Stamps. A \$5 War Stamp will buy one bayonet. So invest at least ten percent of your income in War Bonds every payday and become a member of the patriotic "Ten Percent Club."

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What You Buy With WAR BONDS

A lighted whistle buoy is more like a floating light house than anything else. It weighs several tons, is moored to warn ships at sea, and operates a flashing light. The siren is operated by suction, created by the rise and fall of the buoy in the water. The device costs about \$6,000.

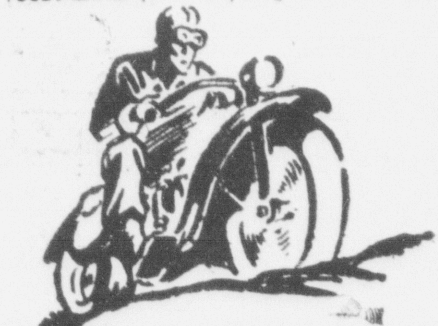


These safety devices are important to coastal vessels, especially to vessels running without lights during war time. You can help buy them for the Navy and the Coast Guard with your investment in War Bonds and Stamps. Put at least ten percent of your income in these war time securities every payday and become a member of the patriotic "Ten Percent Club."

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What You Buy With WAR BONDS

Military motorcycles, for couriers, for speeding light guns from one section to another, are an important part of America's mechanized army. Many are equipped with sidecars for use of staff officers. They cost from \$400 to \$450.

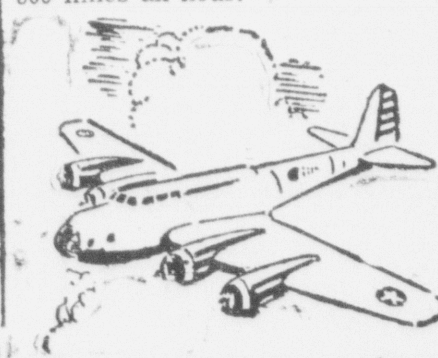


We need thousands of these small maneuverable machines in our Army today. You and your neighbors, all buying War Bonds and Stamps, can help buy them for the Army. Invest at least ten percent of your income every payday in War Bonds and Stamps and become a member of the patriotic "Ten Percent Club." It is rapidly becoming the largest club in the world.

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What You Buy With WAR BONDS

A Flying Fortress is to America's air fleet what heavy artillery is to the Army. This gigantic four-motored bomber, equipped with heavy cannon, carries about three tons of bombs and reaches a speed of about 300 miles an hour.

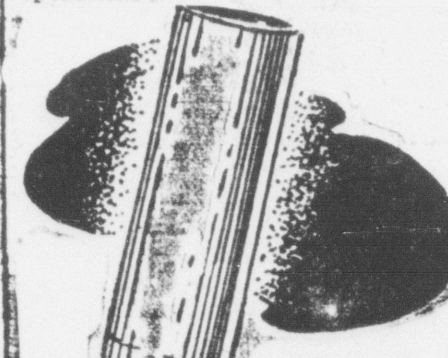


These ships carry a crew of seven to nine men, weigh about 22½ tons, have a wing spread of 105 feet and each motor develops 1,000 horsepower. We need more of these "Flying Fortresses" to compete with the Nazi air force. You can help by investing at least ten percent of your income in War Bonds every payday. Buy them from your bank, post-office or other convenient issuing agent.

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What You Buy With WAR BONDS

Trench mortar shells cost about \$19.00. Since a trench mortar fires at the rate of approximately 35 shells per minute, it costs about \$665 every minute one of these guns is in operation.



To furnish the necessary ammunition for trench mortars and howitzers and other ordnance, Uncle Sam is calling upon patriotic Americans everywhere to invest at least ten percent of income in War Bonds and Stamps. The least we can do is give our fighting men the ammunition and tools necessary to win the war. Are you doing your share?

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